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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 20, 2006

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2006, thus extending the due date for this Response from December 20, 2006 to March 20, 2007. The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1020. Please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

In response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.